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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

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Title: EMBEDDED NANOTUBE ARRAY SENSOR AND METHOD OF  
MAKING A NANOTUBE POLYMER COMPOSITE  
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**AMENDMENT AND REPLY UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111**

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Madam/Sir:

This communication is responsive to the Non-Final Office Action dated February 9, 2009, concerning the above-referenced patent application. Applicants hereby petition under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) for a one-month extension of time to make this reply timely. Applicants further respectfully state that the application is entitled to the small entity status.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2.

**Remarks** begin on page 12.

Please amend the application as follows: